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In Re Patent Application of :  
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Serial No. **10/632,307** : Atty. Dkt: **LMC-53**

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For: **SENSOR FOR OPTICALLY SENSING AIRBORNE ACOUSTIC WAVES**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

Response to the Office Action mailed June 14, 2004 in the above-identified patent application was due September 14, 2004, without extension. A petition for a three month extension of time to respond, through and including December 14, 2004, has been filed herewith. Accordingly, the present response is deemed to be timely filed. Should there be any fees due and owing with respect to this amendment and response, the Office is authorized to charge such fees to deposit account no. 50-3208. Please enter the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Applicant's Remarks** begin on Page 6 of this paper.